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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

Notice of Opposition

Notice is hereby given that the following party opposes registration of the indicated application.

Opposer Information

Name	Buy Buy Baby, Inc.
Granted to Date of previous extension	01/13/2008
Address	895 East Gate Boulevard Garden City, NY 11530 UNITED STATES

Attorney information	Simor L. Moskowitz JACOBSON HOLMAN PLLC 400 7th Street, NW6th Floor Washington, DC 20004 UNITED STATES trademark@jhip.com,smoskowitz@jhip.com Phone:202.638.6666
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Applicant Information

Application No	77016578	Publication date	07/17/2007
Opposition Filing Date	01/14/2008	Opposition Period Ends	01/13/2008
Applicants	Razick, Nazima H. 7556 Great Swan Court Alexandria, VA 22306 UNITED STATES Masihuddin, Syed		
	710 Spring Farm Road Lake Villa, IL 60046 UNITED STATES		

Goods/Services Affected by Opposition

Class 035.

All goods and services in the class are opposed, namely: retail store services featuring baby diapers, formula, food items, clothing, toys, electronic gadgets, and other related baby products at airports

Grounds for Opposition

Priority and likelihood of confusion	Trademark Act section 2(d)
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Marks Cited by Opposer as Basis for Opposition

U.S. Registration No.	2171479	Application Date	09/27/1995
Registration Date	07/07/1998	Foreign Priority	NONE

	Date
Word Mark	BUY BUY BABY
Design Mark	
Description of Mark	NONE
Goods/Services	Class 042. First use: First Use: 1996/05/15 First Use In Commerce: 1996/05/00 retail stores featuring baby furniture, clothes, accessories and supplies

U.S. Registration No.	2517613	Application Date	09/27/1995	
Registration Date	12/11/2001	Foreign Priority Date	NONE	
Word Mark	BUY BUY BABY			
Design Mark				
Description of Mark	NONE			
Goods/Services	Class 020. First use: First Us baby furniture and related accelerated 025. First use: First Us baby clothes, namely, shirts, jackets, hats, bathing suits ar crawlers	cessories, namely, m e: 1997/06/01 First U T-shirts, pants, tops,	attresses se In Commerce: 1997/06/01 bottoms, overalls, coveralls,	

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Name	Simor L. Moskowitz		
Date	01/14/2008		

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

Buy Buy Baby, Inc.)	
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Syed Masihuddin and Nazima H. Razick)	
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NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

In the matter of an application to register a trademark under the Trademark Act of 1946, Application Serial No. 77/016,578, in the name of Syed Masihuddin and Nazima H. Razick ("Applicants"), which was published for opposition in the Trademark Official Gazette of July 17, 2007, Vol. 1320, No.3 at page TM 1161, for the mark FLY BUY BABY, Opposer believes it will be damaged by registration of said alleged mark, and hereby opposes same.

The grounds for opposition are as follows:

- i) Opposer, Buy Buy Baby, Inc. ("Opposer") is a Delaware corporation, located and doing business at 895 East Gate Boulevard, Garden City, NY 11530.
- ii) Opposer operates a chain of retail stores, as well as an online retail store, featuring baby furniture, clothes, accessories, and supplies, in commerce, under the service mark BUY BUY BABY ("Opposer's Mark").
- iii) Opposer is the owner of U.S. Service Mark Reg. No. 2,171,479, which issued July 7, 1998, for "retail stores featuring baby furniture, clothes, accessories and

supplies"; as well as U.S. Trademark Reg. No. 2517613 issued December 11, 2001, for "baby furniture and related accessories, namely mattresses" in Class 20, and "baby clothes, namely, shirts, T-shirts, pants, tops, bottoms, overalls, coveralls, jackets, hats, bathing suits, and matching tops, socks, booties, shoes, creepers, crawlers" in Class 25. Copies of these registrations, in the form of current print-outs from the electronic database of the Trademark Office records showing current status and title, are attached hereto as Exhibits 1 and 2 pursuant to 37 CFR Section 2.122(d). These registrations are incontestable; and are therefore conclusive evidence of Opposer's exclusive right to use its BUY BUY BABY mark in commerce, of Opposer's ownership of the registrations, and of the validity of the registrations, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. §§1065 and 1115(b).

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- 4. Commencing long before the October 19, 2006 filing date of the opposed application, Serial No. 77/016,578, Opposer has continuously sold, rendered, advertised and promoted its products and services in connection with Opposer's Mark in the United States.
- 5. Since the initial use of Opposer's Mark, Opposer has made a substantial investment in such use. As a result, Opposer's customers, and the relevant trade and public, have come to know and recognize Opposer's Mark and to associate same with Opposer.
- 6. Upon information and belief, notwithstanding Opposer's prior reputation in its BUY BUY BABY mark, on October 19, 2006, Applicants filed an application for registration of the mark FLY BUY BABY, for "retail store services featuring baby diapers, formula, food items, clothing, toys, electronic gadgets, and other related baby products at

airports" in Int'l. Class 35. This application was assigned Serial No. 77/016,578, and was published for opposition on July 17, 2007; the opposition period has been extended to and including January 13, 2008.

- 7. Upon information and belief, Applicant's adoption of the mark FLY BUY BABY was with knowledge and notice of Opposer's Mark and the established reputation in connection therewith.
- 8. The mark sought to be registered by Applicant -- FLY BUY BABY -- is substantially identical to, phonetically equivalent, confusingly similar to, and a colorable imitation of Opposer's Mark BUY BUY BABY, and is proposed to be used in connection with the same or similar services as those rendered and/or related goods sold by Opposer under Opposer's Mark. Applicant's published FLY BUY BABY mark so resembles Opposer's Mark as to be likely, when used in connection with the services of Applicant, to cause confusion or mistake or to deceive actual and/or prospective purchasers, the trade, and consumers, thereby resulting in damage and detriment to Opposer, Opposer's Mark, and reputation.
- 9. Upon information and belief, Opposer's actual and/or prospective customers, and the public in general, are likely to confused, mistaken or deceived as to the origin and sponsorship of Applicant's services marketed, promoted, advertised and/or sold under the FLY BUY BABY mark sought to be registered by Applicant, and misled into believing that such services are sold by, emanate from, affiliated with, sponsored by, or in some way, directly or indirectly, are associated with Opposer and/or its BUY BUY BABY mark, to the damage and detriment of Opposer and its reputation.

- 10. Opposer has been and, upon information and belief, will be, damaged by the registration by Applicant of the opposed FLY BUY BABY mark, as set forth in the opposed application therefor, Ser. No. 77/016,578, in that said mark is substantially similar to, a colorable imitation of, and substantially identical to, Opposer's Mark, and is likely to cause confusion therewith.
- 11. By virtue of the prior use of Opposer's Mark, if Applicant is granted the registration opposed herein and Applicant obtains such rights as conferred under the Principal Register of the Trademark Act of 1946, Opposer will continue to be subjected to great and irreparable damage, and Applicant will obtain unlawful gain and advantage to which it is not entitled under the Trademark Act of 1946.

WHEREFORE, Opposer, Buy Buy Baby, Inc. believes and alleges that it will be damaged by registration of the Applicant's mark as aforesaid, and therefore Opposer prays that:

- (a) judgment in the present Opposition be entered in favor of Opposer;
- (b) registration on the application of Syed Masihuddin and Nazima H. Razick, Serial No. 77/016,578, be rejected and refused; and
 - (c) the present Opposition be sustained in favor of Opposer.

The filing fee for this opposition in the amount of \$300.00 is enclosed herewith in the form of counsel's Credit Card Charge Form. Should this form become detached, or the amount be insufficient, please charge Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

BUY BUY BABY, INC.

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ATTORNEYS FOR OPPOSER

Dated: January 14, 2008

Atty. Dkt. No.: I-5703

Attachments: Exhibits 1-2

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing Notice of Opposition, together with attached exhibits, was served this 14th day of January, 2008, via first class mail, postage prepaid upon Applicants, as follows:

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Int. Cl.: 42

Prior U.S. Cls.: 100 and 101

Reg. No. 2,171,479

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Registered July 7, 1998

SERVICE MARK PRINCIPAL REGISTER

BUY BUY BABY

BUY BUY BABY, INC. (DELAWARE CORPORA-TION) 3 CHINABERRY COURT GAITHERSBURG, MD 20878

FOR: RETAIL STORES FEATURING BABY FURNITURE, CLOTHES, ACCESSORIES AND SUPPLIES, IN CLASS 42 (U.S. CLS. 100 AND 101).

FIRST USE 5-15-1996; IN COMMERCE 5-0-1996.

NO CLAIM IS MADE TO THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHT TO USE "BABY", APART FROM THE MARK AS SHOWN.

SER. NO. 75-976,624, FILED 9-27-1995.

KEVIN PESKA, EXAMINING ATTORNEY





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BUY BUY BABY

Goods and Services

IC 042. US 100 101. G & S: retail stores featuring baby furniture, clothes, accessories and supplies. FIRST USE:

19960515. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19960500

Mark Drawing Code

Serial Number

(1) TYPED DRAWING 75976624

Filing Date

September 27, 1995

Current Filing Basis

Original Filing Basis 1B

Published for

Opposition

April 14, 1998

Registration Number 2171479

Registration Date

July 7, 1998

(REGISTRANT) BUY BUY BABY, INC. CORPORATION DELAWARE 895 EAST GATE BLVD. GARDEN CITY NEW

YORK 11530

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LAST APPLICANT(S)/OWNER(S) OF RECORD

1. BUY BUY BABY, INC.

Address:

BUY BUY BABY, INC. 895 EAST GATE BLVD. GARDEN CITY, NY 11530

United States

Legal Entity Type: Corporation

State or Country of Incorporation: Delaware

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 042 Class Status: Active

retail stores featuring baby furniture, clothes, accessories and supplies

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 1996-05-15

First Use in Commerce Date: 1996-05-00

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Prior U.S. Cls.: 2, 13, 22, 25, 32, 39, and 50

Reg. No. 2,517,613

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Registered Dec. 11, 2001

TRADEMARK PRINCIPAL REGISTER

BUY BUY BABY

BUY BUY BABY, INC. (DELAWARE CORPORA-TION) 3 CHINABERRY COURT GAITHERSBURG, MD 20878

FOR: BABY FURNITURE AND RELATED ACCESSORIES, NAMELY, MATTRESSES, IN CLASS 20 (U.S. CLS. 2, 13, 22, 25, 32 AND 50).

FIRST USE 5-15-1996; IN COMMERCE 5-15-1996.

FOR: BABY CLOTHES, NAMELY, SHIRTS, T-SHIRTS, PANTS, TOPS, BOTTOMS, OVERALLS, COVERALLS, JACKETS, HATS, BATHING SUITS

AND MATCHING TOPS, SOCKS, BOOTIES, SHOES, CREEPERS, CRAWLERS, IN CLASS 25 (U.S. CLS. 22 AND 39).

FIRST USE 6-1-1997; IN COMMERCE 6-1-1997.

NO CLAIM IS MADE TO THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHT TO USE "BABY", APART FROM THE MARK AS SHOWN.

SN 74-736,684, FILED 9-27-1995.

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USE: 19960515. FIRST USE IN COMMERCE: 19960515

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Basis: 1(a)

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